

## Message Text

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ACTION EB-08

INFO OCT-01 ARA-06 IO-13 ISO-00 STRE-00 SSO-00 NSCE-00  
USIE-00 INRE-00 FEA-01 AGRE-00 CEA-01 CIAE-00 COME-00  
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FM AMEMBASSY MEXICO

TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 0201

INFO USDEL MTN GENEVA

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DEPT PASS STR

E. O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: ETRD, MTN, MX, EFIN

SUBJECT: TROPICAL PRODUCTS-MEXICO

REFS: (A) STATE 027537; (B) MEXICO 4580 (1976); (C) STATE 302749  
(1976)

1. EMBASSY REVIEW OF MEXICAN SYSTEM OF IMPORT LICENSING  
SET FORTH REF (B).

AS WE STATED IN REF (B), THE ABOLISMENT OF  
IMPORT LICENSING SYSTEM WOULD BE BENEFICIAL TO MEXICO  
AND IS INCREASINGLY SO RECOGNIZED BY ECONOMISTS AND  
YOUNGER POLICY MAKERS WITHIN GOM. HOWEVER, GARRIDO  
DOES NOT SEEM TO SHARE THIS VIEW. NEVERTHELESS, ITS ABOLISH-  
MENT WOULD NOT NECESSARILY INCREASE U.S. EXPORTS TO MEXICO IN THE  
SHORT TERM, SINCE THE TOTAL WOULD BE DETERMINED BY MACROECONOMIC  
FACTORS, E.G. EXCHANGE RATE, DOMESTIC DEMAND, ETC. HOWEVER, ITS  
ABOLISHMENT WOULD LEAD TO MORE RAIONAL DEMAND FOR U.S.  
EXPORTS BASED ON COMPETITIVE MARKET CONSIDERATIONS.

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2. EMBASSY CANNOT PROVIDE BY FEB 9 THE INFORMATION  
REQUESTED IN PARA 2 OF REF (A). WE ARE REQUESTING IT  
FROM THE GOM AND WILL FORWARD IT TO STR AS SOON AS WE  
RECEIVE IT. WE PRESUME TP LIST IS SAME AS THAT OF REF (C).  
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## Message Attributes

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